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1. Basis of the report

- a. With regard to the language, the international search was carried out on the basis of the international application in the language in which it was filed, unless otherwise indicated under this item.

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- b. ☐ With regard to any nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence disclosed in the international application, see Box No. I.

2. ☐ Certain claims were found unsearchable (see Box No. II).

3. ☐ Unity of invention is lacking (see Box No. III).

4. With regard to the title,

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6. With regard to the drawings,

- a. the figure of the drawings to be published with the abstract is Figure No. 1

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- b. ☐ none of the figures is to be published with the abstract.

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PCT/CA2005/000289A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER
IPC(7): E05F 11/48, E05F 15/16

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B. FIELDS SEARCHED

Minimum documentation searched (classification system followed by classification symbols)

IPC(7): E05F-ALL US Class: 49/352

Documentation searched other than minimum documentation to the extent that such documents are included in the fields searched

Electronic database(s) consulted during the international search (name of database(s) and, where practicable, search terms used)

Delphion/Canadian Patent database: "window and regulator and belt and tension", "E05F and window and belt and tesion"

C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

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